

**IC 13-18-18****Chapter 18. General Coal Mine Permits****IC 13-18-18-1****Rules**

Sec. 1. The board with jurisdiction over National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permits for coal mines shall adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 to establish a general coal mine permit that may be obtained for a facility instead of obtaining another more specialized National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System coal mine permit.

*As added by P.L.1-1996, SEC.8.*

**IC 13-18-18-2****Criteria for consideration**

Sec. 2. The board shall determine the criteria that must be met to qualify for the general permit.

*As added by P.L.1-1996, SEC.8.*

**IC 13-18-18-3****Notice of intent**

Sec. 3. The rules adopted under this chapter must allow a coal mine operator the option of submitting a notice of intent to be governed by the general permit requirements before the requirements apply to the coal mine operator.

*As added by P.L.1-1996, SEC.8.*